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Memorandum

TO: Partnership Technical Advisory Committee

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FR: Raymond Odunlami, Programming and Allocations

RE: Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Update

On Tuesday, December 5, 2006, the upgrade to the Web Fund Management System (WebFMS) was launched. The new application called the Fund Management System (FMS), is intended to be a comprehensive fund management tool that will allow MTC staff and Partners to process TIP amendments, propose new projects, run project reports and eventually conduct project monitoring operations on-line. The link to the FMS is http://www.mtc.ca.gov/funding/fms_intro.htm.

TIP amendment 07-04 is a major TIP amendment currently out for public comment and review (see attached). The amendment adds several new projects funded through the Regional Bicycle and Pedestrian Program and Lifeline program including Job Access Reverse Commute (JARC) and Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Improvement (CMAQ) funds and local matching funds. The Amendment adds a reference to \$261 million in future funding to the US 101 / State Route 25 Interchange and Widening project in Santa Clara County to reflect the total project cost estimates as required by federal regulations. It also updates the Railroad Crossing lump sum project listing reflecting the addition of fiscal year 2006-07 and 2007-08 state-approved projects, adds new local streets and roads projects in San Mateo County and makes other funding and schedule revisions to projects throughout the region.

Partners are reminded that the deadline to submit proposals for the next major TIP amendment is January 1, 2007. To review the detail project listings for pending TIP Amendments, please visit <http://www.mtc.ca.gov/funding/tip/index.htm> and select "View Proposed TIP Amendments." If you would also like to comment on any of them, please send your comments to INFO@mtc.ca.gov or to TIPINFO@mtc.ca.gov.

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